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Southern California Major Ruptures





ANZA

Southern California Paleoseismic Sites - Rockwell 2015





Southern California Pre-Historical Moment Release -Rockwell 2015



San Jacinto Fault M > 5

1937-1980
4 events

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- 1981-2000
 0 events
- 2001-2013
 4 events
- 2016
 1 event
 (so far)





2010-present ANZA Phase 6





ANZA Current Configuration

- 29 stations in network in remote locations
 - wireless telemetry
 - solar powered, battery backup
 - low power equipment
 - onsite storage
- 22 stations within 15 km of San Jacinto Fault
 - 14 Broadband Sensors
 - 21 with Strong Motion Sensors
 - 10 Free Field Surface Stations
 - 11 Shallow Borehole Episensors (~ 5 meters)
 - 5 Strong Motion Stations within 1 km of fault





ANZA The SJFZ Project Deployment Map

SEISMIC NETWORK



BW05 A A DW05 A A A

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TONN

USGCB

Dry Wash Array





33°00

PASSCAL Ad Hoc Telemetry



HPWREN topology – January 2015



155Mbps FDX 6 GHz FCC licensed



SJFZ Virtual Network

- 123 stations
- AZ, CI, PB, SB, YN ^{34°00'} networks

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Dbshear references

- Based on Ross and Ben-Zion (2014). Automatic picking of direct P, S seismic phases and fault zone head waves, Geophys. J. Int.
- Ross et al. (2016). An improved algorithm for real-time S-wave picking with application to the (augmented) ANZA network in southern California, BSSA accepted





Dbshear method

The method has three stages, which can be summarized as follows:

- use polarization analysis on a 3-component time series to remove P-wave energy from the seismogram
- use STA/LTA detectors on the resulting polarized horizontal traces to make a trial S-pick in the vicinity of the S-wave
- use kurtosis detectors in conjunction with the trial pick to lock on the S-arrival.
 - 4th order statistical moment and measures peakedness



S-Wave detector







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- S polarization filter







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- Kurtosis rate function

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Comparing Analyst - Automatic S Picks

- 123 Stations
- One month data
- 11,353 S wave picks
- $0.09 \pm 0.168 \text{ s}$
 - slightly biased
 - skewed
 distribution







Empirical Cumulative Distribution Function

- 123 Stations
- 11,353 picks
- < 0.06 sec 50%
- < 0.11 sec 67%
- < 0.31 sec 90%





2013 SJFZ Processing

- Processed with dbdetect
 - 38k S picks
 - P/S = 7.53
- Processed with dbdetect + dbshear
 - 267k S picks
 - ~600% increase

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• P/S = 1.08



P-wave picks S-wave picks



 11,197 event locations calculated with dbgenloc

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- Uncertainty generally decreased
- No systematic bias in location

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Median Pick Residual vs Distance







Median Pick Residual vs Distance

- ≲ 60 km
- ≲ 120 km





Median Pick Residual vs SNR

- Median residual value
 - snr > 10
 - ~0.07 seconds





Dbshear Locations

Automatic process

- 11,167 events
- dbdetect + dbshear shown in black dots
- difference from dbdetect only shown by red lines

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Future work

- Current status
 - Works on SJFZ database
 - Testing on SJFZ realtime system
 - Disappointing results
 - Correct parameters?
 - orb code vs db code?
- Future plans
 - Stable operations on SJFZ system
 - Implement on TA Alaska system





SJFZ Mw Events

- 2013 data
- >13,000 event locations

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dbmw process

• Displacement source spectrum model

$$A(f) = \frac{\Omega_0 \cdot \exp\left(-\pi f t^*\right)}{1 + (f/f_c)^n}$$





dbmw process

- Displacement source spectrum model
- for each available event and station
 - demeaned
 - multi taper spectrum estimator
 - corrected for instrument response
- Vector amplitude spectrum

$$M = \sqrt{N^2 + E^2 + Z^2}$$



dbmw process

- > 75% of the SNR values above 5.0.
- < 5 spectra were left for either P- or S-waves, the event is skipped.
- spectra are corrected for radiation pattern
 - 0.55 for P-waves
 - 0.62 for S-waves
- Correct for propagation and site effects.
- geometric spreading
- path-dependent attenuation (t*)
- free-surface correction of 2.0.





34°00

33°30'

33°00'

-117°30'

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Local Event, 10 P and 10 S phases $M_w 1.35$, $M_l 0.9$





b values



• M_I 0.93



SJFZ Scaling Relationships

- Slope of the bestfitting line (red) in the upper panel is 1.13
 - Expected 1.5 from Hanks & Kanamori (1979).
- $M_{\rm w} \sim M_{\rm L}$ around 3.5
- $M_{\rm L} = 0 \rightarrow M_{\rm w} \sim 0.88$

